

Leo A. Suslow

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Dear Commissioner Heyney,

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Please note the enclosures.

We strongly oppose the use of antibiotics to fatten animals that will then be consumed by American citizens.

This can be life-threatening. If Western Europeans can decide it is not worth the risk, we certainly can do the same.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Cordially yours,

Leo A. Suslow

cc VP Al Gore

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/ If you agree, please write or e-mail the officials listed below and tell them that irradiated foods need to carry a prominent disclosure, in easy-to-read type, on the front of the package. Thank you.

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As a member of the Center for Science in the Public Interest (CSPI), I urge you to save human lives by banning the use of medically useful antibiotics in animal feed. Adding antibiotics to feed in order to promote growth can make bacteria resistant to those antibiotics. And that can leave physicians with no way to treat life-threatening bacterial infections in humans. That's why I support the petition filed by CSPI.

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